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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of) BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT) APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
Noriaki Hashimoto)
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Serial No. 09/690,818)) Examiner: Carl G. Colin
Filed: 10/18/2000) Examiner. Carro. Com
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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM	/I FOR)
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME OF FILING OF BRIEF ON APPEAL OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE FOR REVIVAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b); AND REQUEST FOR CHANGING OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS OIPE/IAP

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for 1) an extension of time to file a Brief on Appeal in the above-captioned case under 37 C.F.R. 136(a) as set forth in M.P.E.P. 1205.1 or 2), in the alternative, if no such extension of time can be granted, the undersigned hereby petitions to revive the present application under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b).

I hereby certify that this document is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO at 571-273-8300 or deposited with the US Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelop addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on October 24, 2005.

Name: Stephen B. Parker

Signed. 🚄

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It is most respectfully requested, however, that an extension of time be granted as set forth in M.P.E.P. 1205.1 which expresses that: "In the event that the appellant finds that he or she is unable to file a brief within the time period allotted by the *>rule<, he or she may file a petition, with fee, to the Technology Center (TC), requesting additional time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)."

In this application, an Office Action was mailed on January 1, 2005 to the law firm of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck. A Notice of Appeal along with a response after final rejection was filed on June 22, 2005. The time for filing the Brief on Appeal was due on August 22, 2005. The undersigned respectfully requests a two month extension of time until October 24, 2005 with which to file the attached Brief on Appeal (October 22, 2005 being on a Saturday) or requests an additional third month if required due to the date falling on a Saturday. Among other things, this extension of time is necessary due to unintentional delays resultant during the recent transfer of this file from the former law firm of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck to the undersigned's law firm listed below subsequent to the issuance of the final Office Action.

CORRESPONDENCE CHANGE: For future correspondence, please change the correspondence address to that of the undersigned's present law firm at Customer Number 52190, attention Stephen B. Parker.

In the event that revival is necessary, it is respectfully requested that this application be revived under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b).

reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to this paragraph was unintentional.

Please charge our deposit account number 14-1427 – as appropriate – the following fees. Please note that the charges for 2 and 3 below are requested to be made in the alternative. That is, if an extension of time is grantable, it is requested that no petition to revive fee be charged. If, however, no extension of time is grantable, it is requested that fees related to the petition to revive only be charged.

- 1. For filing Appeal Brief: \$250.00.
- 2. "IF" an extension of time is grantable under M.P.E.P. 1205.01:
- A. Two month extension of time \$225.00 (small entity) (or, add additional charges if additional time is needed).
- B. A Petition Fee of \$130 (for requesting an extenstion as may be required).
 - 3. "IF" an petition to revive is required under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b).
 - C. Petition For Revival Fee under 1.137(b): \$750.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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